2000 California Teen Eating, Exercise and Nutrition Survey (CalTEENS)

Table 26: Consumption of Each Category of High Calorie, Low Nutrient Foods among California Adolescents

Yesterday did you eat any pastries, such as doughnuts, Danish, sweet rolls, muffins, croissants, or poptarts? Yesterday did you eat any deep-fried foods, such as french fries, fried chicken, chicken nuggets, fried fish, fried shrimp, egg rolls or onion rings?

Yesterday did you eat any potato chips, tortilla chips, cheese puffs, pork rinds, or other fried snacks?

Yesterday did you eat any sweet snacks such like cake, pie, cookies, or brownies?

Yesterday did you eat any boxes or packages of candy or candy bars?

Yesterday, how many cans or glasses of regular soda (cola, lemon-lime) or sweetened carbonated beverages like Clearly Canadian did you drink?

| | Food Eaten From Each Category Yesterday, Percent of Adolescents | | | | | |
|--------------------------|---|-------|-------------|----------|------------|-----------|
| | Regular | | Chips/Fried | Bakery | Deep Fried | Breakfast |
| | Soda | Candy | Snacks | Desserts | Foods | Pastries |
| Total | 68 | 32 | 41 | 38 | 32 | 24 |
| Gender | | | | | | |
| Males | 76 *** | 33 | 40 | 38 | 33 | 27 * |
| Females | 59 | 30 | 42 | 37 | 31 | 21 |
| Ethnicity | | | | | | |
| White | 65 * | 30 | 39 | 40 * | 30 | 23 |
| African American | 59 | 43 | 51 | 47 | 39 | 27 |
| Latino | 73 | 30 | 39 | 34 | 30 | 25 |
| Asian/Other | 67 | 35 | 45 | 31 | 39 | 25 |
| Gender by Age | | | | | | |
| Males | | | | | | |
| 12-13 | 69 * | 37 | 36 | 38 | 35 | 26 |
| 14-15 | 76 | 34 | 40 | 38 | 34 | 28 |
| 16-17 | 81 | 27 | 44 | 39 | 31 | 27 |
| Females | | | | | | |
| 12-13 | 61 | 26 | 46 | 41 | 30 | 21 |
| 14-15 | 64 | 35 | 44 | 36 | 35 | 22 |
| 16-17 | 52 | 30 | 35 | 33 | 27 | 22 |
| Smoking Status | | | | | | |
| Non-Smokers | 67 | 31 | 41 | 38 * | 31 ** | 24 |
| Smokers | 75 | 38 | 36 | 25 | 45 | 33 |
| Physical Activity Status | | | | | | |
| Regular | 68 | 32 | 41 | 38 | 31 | 25 |
| Irregular | 66 | 30 | 40 | 36 | 36 | 23 |
| Overweight Status | | | | | | |
| Not at Risk | 67 | 32 | 41 | 39 | 31 | 25 |
| At Risk/Overweight | 68 | 28 | 40 | 34 | 33 | 21 |

A box around a group of numbers signifies that differences observed within this group are statistically significant.

Chi Square Test

^{*} p<.05

^{**} p<.01

^{***} p<.001